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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
12)

13 Plaintiff,)

14 vs.)

15 ANTHONY VARELA,)

16 Defendant.)
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Case No. 1:24-CR-00033-DAD-BAM-3

STIPULATION TO CONTINUE SENTENCING
HEARING; ORDER

Judge: Hon. Dale A. Drozd. District Court Judge

17 **IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED**, by and between the parties, through their respective
18 counsel, Assistant United States Attorney Justin J. Gilio, counsel for plaintiff, and Steven L.
19 Crawford, appointed counsel for defendant Anthony Varela, that the sentencing hearing for Mr.
20 Varela is currently set for December 15, 2025, be vacated and a new sentencing date of March 9,
21 2026 at 9:30 AM in Courtroom 5 before Chief Judge Troy L. Nunley.

22 Defense Counsel and The Government recognize several complex issues arising in this
23 case and need additional time to flush out the issues and brief them. We would also be stipulating
24 that the due dates for informal objections, formal objections, responses, etc. be extended to
25 correspond with the new sentencing date.
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1 WHEREFORE, the parties respectfully request that the Court vacate the currently set
2 sentencing hearing and set a new sentencing hearing on March 9, 2026.

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4 Respectfully submitted,

5 PHILLIP A. TALBERT
6 United States Attorney

7 Date: November 14, 2025

/s/ Justin J. Gilio
Justin J. Gilio
Assistant United States Attorney
Attorney for Plaintiff

10 Date: November 14, 2025

/s/ Steven L. Crawford
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ANTHONY VARELA

13 **ORDER**

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15 Pursuant to the parties' stipulation and good cause appearing, the sentencing hearing
16 currently set for December 15, 2025, is vacated and continued to March 9, 2026, at 9:30 AM in
17 Courtroom 5 before Chief Judge Troy L. Nunley. The presentence report related filing dates are
18 also modified as proposed by the parties.

19 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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21 Dated: November 14, 2025

Dale A. Drozd
DALE A. DROZD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE